

Table 16. Poverty Status of the Population in 1999 by Age, Sex,  
and Race and Hispanic Origin: March 2000

Source: U.S. Census Bureau

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(Numbers in thousands)

Poverty status, age and sex			Race and Hispanic Origin 1/					
			Asian and Pacific Islander		White, not Hispanic		Other	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Total 2/								
Total	273,493	100.0	10,916	100.0	193,334	100.0	69,244	100.0
Below poverty level	32,258	11.8	1,163	10.7	14,875	7.7	16,220	23.4
Above poverty level	241,235	88.2	9,753	89.3	178,459	92.3	53,023	76.6
Under 18 years								
Total	71,731	100.0	3,057	100.0	45,243	100.0	23,432	100.0
Below poverty level	12,109	16.9	361	11.8	4,252	9.4	7,496	32.0
Above poverty level	59,622	83.1	2,696	88.2	40,991	90.6	15,935	68.0
18 to 64 years								
Total	169,141	100.0	7,059	100.0	120,905	100.0	41,178	100.0
Below poverty level	16,982	10.0	717	10.2	8,559	7.1	7,706	18.7
Above poverty level	152,159	90.0	6,342	89.8	112,345	92.9	33,472	81.3
65 years and over								
Total	32,621	100.0	800	100.0	27,187	100.0	4,634	100.0
Below poverty level	3,167	9.7	85	10.6	2,063	7.6	1,019	22.0
Above poverty level	29,454	90.3	715	89.4	25,123	92.4	3,616	78.0

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Male 2/								
Total	133,647	100.0	5,312	100.0	94,905	100.0	33,430	100.0
Below poverty level	13,813	10.3	545	10.3	6,452	6.8	6,817	20.4
Above poverty level	119,834	89.7	4,768	89.7	88,453	93.2	26,614	79.6
Under 18 years								
Total	36,746	100.0	1,559	100.0	23,231	100.0	11,957	100.0
Below poverty level	6,058	16.5	193	12.4	2,173	9.4	3,692	30.9
Above poverty level	30,688	83.5	1,366	87.6	21,058	90.6	8,264	69.1
18 to 64 years								
Total	83,015	100.0	3,374	100.0	60,031	100.0	19,609	100.0
Below poverty level	6,795	8.2	309	9.1	3,661	6.1	2,826	14.4
Above poverty level	76,220	91.8	3,066	90.9	56,371	93.9	16,784	85.6
65 years and over								
Total	13,886	100.0	379	100.0	11,643	100.0	1,864	100.0
Below poverty level	960	6.9	43	11.4	618	5.3	299	16.0
Above poverty level	12,926	93.1	336	88.6	11,024	94.7	1,566	84.0

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Female 2/								
Total	139,846	100.0	5,603	100.0	98,429	100.0	35,813	100.0
Below poverty level	18,445	13.2	618	11.0	8,423	8.6	9,404	26.3
Above poverty level	121,401	86.8	4,985	89.0	90,006	91.4	26,410	73.7
Under 18 years								
Total	34,985	100.0	1,498	100.0	22,012	100.0	11,475	100.0
Below poverty level	6,051	17.3	168	11.2	2,079	9.4	3,804	33.1
Above poverty level	28,934	82.7	1,330	88.8	19,933	90.6	7,671	66.9
18 to 64 years								
Total	86,126	100.0	3,684	100.0	60,873	100.0	21,568	100.0
Below poverty level	10,187	11.8	408	11.1	4,899	8.0	4,880	22.6
Above poverty level	75,939	88.2	3,276	88.9	55,975	92.0	16,689	77.4
65 years and over								
Total	18,735	100.0	421	100.0	15,544	100.0	2,770	100.0
Below poverty level	2,207	11.8	42	9.9	1,445	9.3	720	26.0
Above poverty level	16,528	88.2	380	90.1	14,099	90.7	2,050	74.0

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